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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Basic Intelligence

SUBJECT : Report of the ADP Committee of OBI

1. The Committee met on 29 May 1967. Those present included

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2. The meeting began with each member reporting on recent automated activities in his own unit. [REDACTED] described the automatic profile program being obtained by OCS from the Electromagnetic Compatibility Analysis Center at Annapolis, Maryland. [REDACTED] discussed the forthcoming order of Dura machines to input the EPIC System and the divergence by some contributors to magnetic tape. The announced intention of dropping OBI projects in OCR and subsequent negotiations were related by [REDACTED]. In the end the Map Miniaturization System of MLD/BI and the NIS Production Status Report of PD/BI were retained by OCR and the CD/BI Production Records System was transferred to OCS. An interpreting key punch machine has been budgeted for FY 68 so CD/BI could generate its own records. The operational status of Automap in CD/BI was also mentioned as was [REDACTED] interest in the system.

3. In keeping with its responsibilities for preliminary coordination and advising management, the Committee reviewed a proposed ORD project submitted by [REDACTED] of ED/BI. The plan calls for the development of the means to store new NIS information in outline form and to relate this to a previously published General Survey for updating and revision. [REDACTED] answered many questions and there was much discussion on the contributor aspects of the proposal. It was the consensus of the Committee that this project was desirable and if successful would appreciably ease the burdens of the contributing analyst, editor, publisher, and printer.

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Chairman, ADP Committee

